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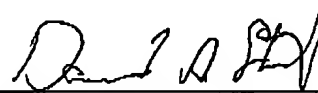
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Final Office Action mailed April 6, 2005. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge the statutory fee of \$500.00 to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. If this estimate is incorrect, please charge or credit our account accordingly.

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